

I hereby authorize Richard
Hooper as my agent and attorney
to present this my discharging to have
audited and to Recert and Receive
all my pay, and Land that is due
me from the Government, my chosen
attorney will use my name
touching the same in as full
and ample a manner as I
can do myself.

This 22^d April 1837

~~John H.~~
Holmes & Co. sealed
March 22^d 1837